

SACRAMENTO AREA CAREER WOMENS NETWORK, INC.

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■ Next Meeting: Sunday, November 22

Holiday Party For Subscribers Only

RIVER GALLEY RESTAURANT

(West across the I Street Bridge into Broderick, turn right on 4th Street (first street past signal), go 7/10 mile, turn right down into parking lot. If you pass through a gate you have gone too far. Or go to the Discovery Park boat ramp and swim across the river.)

4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

PURCHASE TICKETS IN ADVANCE!

Our next meeting will be a holiday party for subscribers only. We have reserved a private room aboard the River Galley Restaurant. There will be a no-host bar and hot and cold hors d'oeuvres. Entertainment will be provided by the Sacramento Womens Chorus. This is our last meeting of the year and is sure to be a special event. Pre-purchase tickets by sending \$10.00 and a self addressed stamped envelope to: SACWN, Inc., P.O. BOX 661332, Sacramento, CA. 95866. Dress in the holiday spirit for this festive occasion. Be sure to purchase your tickets early to join us for the food, fun, and good times. This is sure to be the beginning of a special holiday season!

Remember you must be a SACWN, Inc. subscriber to attend this event. Subscriptions can be obtained anytime up to Friday, November 20, 1987 for this event! If you know women who would like to join us for the Holiday Party and who are not subscribers encourage them to subscribe today! Call Donna at 362-3455 for subscriptions.

Congratulations to Election Winners!!!!!

At our October Annual Meeting and Dance amid the food, fun and music, the Steering Committee Election was held. Congratulations are extended to Gail M., Judith F., Jayne R., and Tommye K., who were all re-elected to the Steering Committee. Approximately 80 subscribers voted in this year's election. In November the Steering Committee will determine the area of responsibility for each of the committee members.

Food, Fun, and Good Time Had By All!!!

October's annual meeting and dance was a tremendous success! Tickets were sold to 186 women and another 20 women volunteered their time and energy to help make this among the most fun events this year! The decorations seemed to impress everyone as they arrived to dance, dine and laugh. The Moonlighter's music had everyone dancing and wanting to dance more. (The dancing didn't stop even when the band took their breaks!) The special events committee and the volunteers did an outstanding job on every detail of this event from the food to the music. Many thanks for the time and effort you put in to making this a delightful occasion!

Our subscribership is growing by leaps and bounds. We now have approximately 220 subscribers. Let's continue our growth! Encourage your friends to become SACWN, Inc. subscribers!

■ From The Committees:

FINANCE COORDINATOR:

Our bank balance has grown to \$2,972 to fund future events based on 218 subscribers as of October 6, 1987.

STEERING COMMITTEE COORDINATOR:

SACWN, Inc. subscribership is growing, our newsletter is expanding, and attendance at our gatherings is increasing. To keep the spirit of our network alive and the quality of events excellent, we need good ideas, generous volunteers, and hours of work. The Steering Committee wishes to thank all of you who have "invested" in SACWN, Inc. this past year by helping.

More exciting, fun, and challenging events are planned for next year. Put SACWN, Inc. on your calendar and tell your friends. If you have any ideas for events or network activities, "buttonhole" a steering committee member at our next meeting.

VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR:

SACWN, Inc. is looking for a recorder to take notes at Steering Committee meetings. This would require 3-4 hours of meeting time and another 2 hours preparing the notes after the meeting each month. Anyone interested in helping us with this very important position would be lavished with our appreciation forever! Please call Judith at 924-8266 for information.

■ Successful SACWNite

Every once in a while one gets the opportunity to toot their own horn. Jesse (your newsletter editor) received a STAR (Special Talent and Achievement Recognition) award from the State Department of Social Services. Jesse was one of 10 members of the Welfare Program Division to receive the honor for "exceptional job performance". The selections for the award are made from peer nominations based on the merits of each candidates's contributions and efforts toward attaining Department and Division goals.

If you have something special happening in your career (a promotion, recognition, or other achievement), let us know! Take a bow and let us share in your success. Applause and appreciation are only a phone call away. Call Jesse at 363-5426 (evenings) with your successes.

■ Favorite Hideaways . . .

Earlier this year we asked you to send us places you like to run away to, to share with subscribers. Summer has faded away but the urge to get away remains. This month we are featuring Paradise Cove located on the Russian River in Guerneville.

Paradise Cove is an adult resort that features service, comfort, a relaxing atmosphere, and privacy as their priorities. New cabins (most with fireplaces) promise cozy luxury with Kashmir folk art tapestries, hand loomed bedspreads on the queen size beds, and private baths. Paradise Cove also has a pool, spa and private decks. On the weekend a complimentary continental breakfast is served. They also have a policy of no pets, minors and no radios outside the rooms.

Rates range from \$50.00 to \$95.00 during the "off season" depending on the type of accommodations you desire and the day of the week. For information or reservations contact:

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■ SACWN Fun Fundraiser!!!

What a great idea . . . let's raise some money and provide someone and a friend with a FUN evening. SACWN, Inc.'s first fundraiser promises a fun filled evening for two at the SNOW WHITE BALL. Get your raffle tickets now. Only a dollar a ticket gives you a chance at winning two tickets to the Snow White Ball. This year the annual event will feature music by the Moonlighters! The winning ticket will be drawn at the Holiday Party November 22! You need not be present (or a subscriber) to win, but we sure would miss you at the party.

You may purchase tickets by mail using the tear off coupon (and a self addressed stamped envelope) or at the Holiday Party, November 22. Remember . . . Only \$1.00 a ticket for a chance to win two tickets to the Snow White Ball!

Enclosed is a check or money order for

■ CALENDAR:

November:

- ☐ Nov. 10 Steering Committee Meeting
- ☐ Nov. 22 Holiday Party (Subscribers Only)

(Note: no newsletter committee meeting)

December:

- ☐ Dec. 8 Steering Committee Meeting
- ☐ Dec. 16 Newsletter Committee Meeting (5:30 at Incredible Edible)

(Note: no Subscriber meeting - Happy Holidays!)

January:

- ☐ Jan. 5 Steering Committee Meeting
- ☐ Jan. 13 Newsletter Committee Meeting (5:30 at Incredible Edible)
- ☐ Jan. 15 Subscriber Meeting at Sierra Inn

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Please return my tickets in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Phone _____

Address _____

(Name, Address, and Phone are required to notify you if you win)

Mail to: Tickets, SACWN, Inc.

P.O. Box 661322

Sacramento, CA 95866

■ Announcements:

Starting in January we will be doing a monthly feature article on a subscriber business. If you would like to have your business in the newsletter contact Jesse at 363-5426 (evenings).

■ ALLOW (Alliance of Local Organizations for Women):

We received our first newsletter from ALLOW this month. Each of the newsletters features articles submitted by member organizations on topics of interest to women's organizations. This month featured articles on "Membership Renewals - Problems/Solutions/Ideas". Each contributing organization provided ideas on how they are maintaining and encouraging new memberships. Some of the highlights from the articles:

BACW (Bay Area Women, Inc.): Membership – 1100+. Dues: \$35.00 per year. BACW offers discounts for renewing in the month that membership expires; follow-up questionaires to nonrenewals to find out why; Special student and "55 plus" memberships. They are also looking into other special membership programs such as: couples or joint memberships; limited income options; and multi-year memberships.

CONNEXXUS Business and Professional Women's Alliance: (no membership or dues

information). CONNEXXUS does follow-up letters to non-members who attend functions inviting them to attend; after social events the follow-up letter also offers to apply the cost of the function attended toward the dues; sometimes they offer free admission to those that join at the door. They are looking into providing a vinyl notebook with a logo to those who renew.

SCWU (Southern California Women for Understanding): Membership – approximately 1178 (no dues information). SCWU offers multiyear memberships that include protection against dues increases; a life membership; and a limited income option.

VCW (Valley Career Women - Phoenix, Arizona): Membership – 350 (no dues information). VCW is planning a night long telephone party, calling all non-renewing members.

Future article topics will include: Membership Benefits/Perks; Dues Structures; and Fundraising Ideas/Problems. If you are one to plan ahead, the Third Annual Conference of ALLOW will be May 14 and 15, 1988 in Los Angeles at the facilities of the National Council for Jewish Women. Mark your calendar and save that date if you wish to attend.

■ On The Horizon:

Well, it finally happened, the end of the year has arrived and we'll be escorting 1987 out grandly with our Holiday Party at the River Galley Restaurant (Subscribers only). But have no fear, 1988 promises another fun year of parties, networking, and topic programs to enrich us all. Just for fun, January's meeting brings us Pat B____, a comedienne who will be presenting "Beloved Hick" a one woman show about the relationship between Eleanor Roosevelt and journalist Lorena Hickok. Pat will be sharing what she has learned from Hick's letters to Eleanor and their historical love affair. Set aside January 15 to join us at the Sierra Inn for a herstory lesson.



LESSONS BY APPOINTMENT

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Classified Ads

Couples Enrichment Weekend. New program for lesbian and gay couples to strengthen committed relationships, will be conducted by Affirmation, United Methodists for Lesbian/Gay Concerns, December 4-6, 1987 at retreat center. Co-Leaders are Rev. Jane Spahr (Presbyterian) and Rev. Perry Wiggins (Methodist). \$250.00 fee includes food and lodging. Write Affirmation, 2391 St. Marks Way, Sacramento, CA 95864, phone 489-2340 evenings.

■ AIDS Benefit:

Many of you have been looking for ways to help with the AIDS crisis. We have learned of a way that you can support efforts to help those who have or are at risk of AIDS. On November 28, 1987 there will be a benefit performance of "Gertrude Stein and Friends" at 8:00 p.m. at the Capitol City Theater (YWCA). The cost of this event is \$10.00 per person (donation). The price of the ticket includes champagne and hors d'ouevers. ALL PROCEEDS GO THE SACRAMENTO AIDS FOUNDATION. For tickets or additional information call the Capitol City Theater. Tickets will also be available at the Holiday Party.

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